

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1037

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate All Star performer Alix Thompson.

WHEREAS, it is the privilege of the members of this General Assembly to recognize those young Tennesseans who epitomize hard work and dedication and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Alix Thompson of the Encore Theatrical Company, who was recently recognized as an All Star performer at the Junior Theater Festival in Atlanta, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Thompson, along with the sixteen other Morristown-area middle and high school performers of the Encore Theatrical Company, wowed the panel of musical theater experts with a fifteen-minute performance taken from the Broadway show *Children of Eden Jr.*; and

WHEREAS, despite having to pull together intense material in a relatively short amount of time, the student performers came together for an exceptional execution of their theatrical piece and proved themselves standouts from among approximately 5,000 of their peers in attendance at the festival; and

WHEREAS, Alix Thompson is a rare talent indeed, having further distinguished herself from her peers and her troupe as an All Star performer; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Thompson devoted her time, talent, and passion to this theatre season, and she is most worthy of our approbation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we recognize and congratulate All Star performer Alix Thompson of the

Encore Theatrical Company on an outstanding performance at the Junior Theater Festival, extending our best wishes for much continued success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.